

Emilia's Wings

"There is no footprint so small that it does not leave an imprint on this world."

Website

www.emilias-wings.org

Our website offers a range of materials designed to support you on your journey through grief and healing. You'll find a variety of resources, including eBooks, lists of supporting organizations, recommended reading, music selections, and more.

Be sure to visit our BLOOM page to learn about our monthly Pregnancy & Infant Loss support group meetings.

Facebook

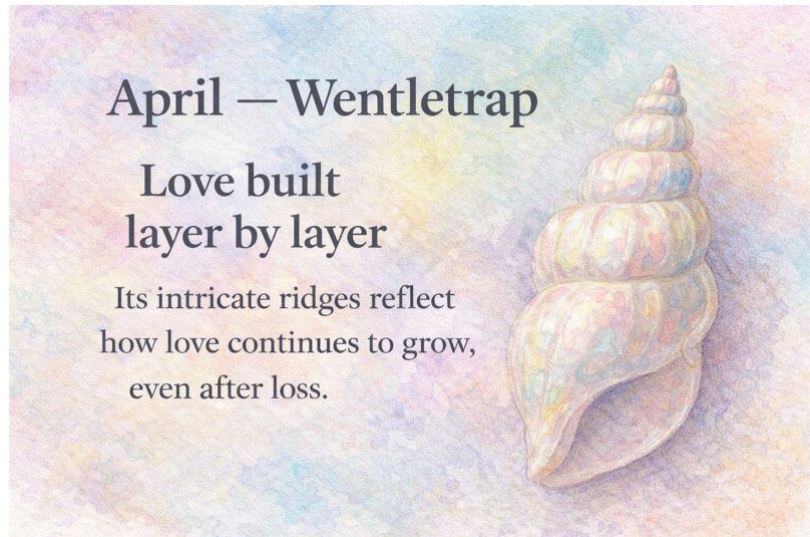
facebook.com/EmiliasWings/

Stay up to date on our projects, special events, and programs by following us on Facebook!

Contact Us

info@emilias-wings.org

You don't have to walk this path alone. Together, we can get through it. Please feel free to reach out to us by email anytime.



April 2026 Newsletter

We welcome you to Emilia's Wings. To those who are newly bereaved, we understand the depth of your devastation and want you to know that you are not alone. We have walked through the darkest valleys of grief ourselves, and we are here to offer unconditional love, support, and understanding. We hope this newsletter provides comfort, guidance, and helpful resources as you navigate your journey through grief. If you know someone who might benefit from our support, please share our website - www.emilias-wings.org and invite them to join our BLOOM monthly meetings.

March in Review

Last month at BLOOM, we met at North Kansas City Public Library for our March Gathering.

Looking Toward April

We hope you will all join us for our April BLOOM Meeting on

DATES & EVENTS

BLOOM

April 2nd @ 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Kansas City Northland Support Group - Meetings are held every first Thursday of each month.

North Kansas City Public Library
2251 Howell St.
North Kansas City, MO 64116

OTHER

Donations

-Donations can be sent & made payable to Emilia's Wings at:
10637 N. Holmes St, Kansas City, MO 64155 OR sent via Venmo.

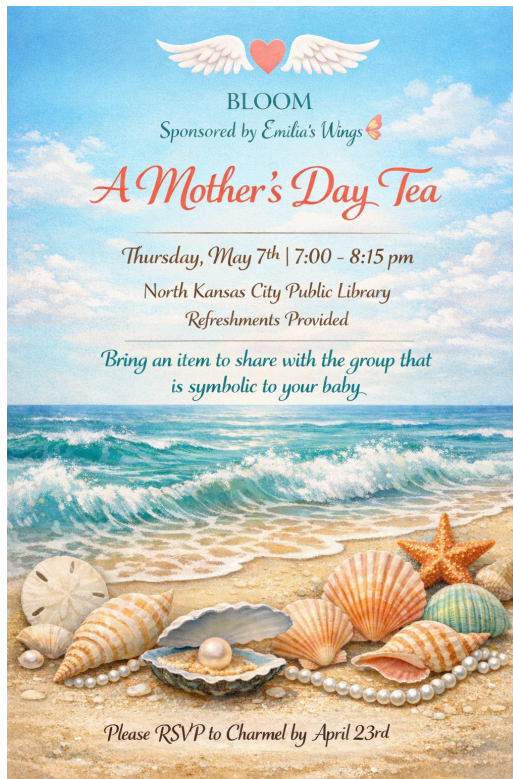
Thursday, April 2nd from 7:00-8:30pm.

SAVE THE DATE

Thursday, May 7th - Mother's Day Tea

Our May meeting will be a special Mother's Day Tea. Come with a sweet tooth! We'll have dessert, and of course, tea! If you'd like,

feel free to bring a special item to share with the group. This could be photos, a poem you'd like to read aloud, artwork, a baby book, jewelry, a Molly Bear (or another stuffed animal), a significant song, or anything else that is meaningful to you.



Click on the image to view the invitation

Mother's Day Tea can sometimes feel difficult, especially as everyone shares their cherished items. For those of us with earlier losses, we may have little to no

items that belonged to or represent our babies. Please know that no item is too small or insignificant to share. Choose something that feels symbolic of your baby or your journey through grief. This may also be the perfect opportunity to find or create something special that connects you with your baby. I can't wait to see what you all bring!

*****If you plan to attend, PLEASE RSVP by Thursday, April 23rd, so I can make the proper preparations. Please also include any dietary restrictions with your RSVP. Thank you!*****

Sunday, October 4th - Walk To Remember

October is Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Month. In remembrance and celebration of our babies, we invite each of our families to join us for our Annual Walk to Remember.

This year, the walk will again be held at E.H. Young Riverfront Park in Riverside, Missouri. Our event is casual and will include a light walk along the trail, followed by cake, drinks, and fellowship. Close family members are warmly welcomed to attend, so they can also remember and celebrate this time with us.

More details about the walk will be shared at a later date!

Thursday, December 4th - Holiday Candlelight Ceremony

The Holidays are often thought of as joyful times of the year, but they can be incredibly painful when you are celebrating the season without your baby.

During our regularly scheduled December BLOOM Meeting, we will gather for a Holiday Candlelight Ceremony. Members are encouraged to bring their household to join us for the evening.

More details about our holiday event will be announced at a later date!

2026 First Quarter Donations

Emilia's Wings is a registered 501(c)(3) charitable nonprofit organization. We are deeply grateful for the generosity of those who have supported our work this quarter. These donations help fund and enrich our BLOOM program and allow us to continue supporting families navigating pregnancy and infant loss.

We would like to recognize the following contributions:

- Multiple monetary donations made in memory of **Donald Dean Brown**
- **Seashell donations** generously provided by:
Emily W. **Kristi R.** **Samantha G. (Thea's mom)** **Sara D.**
- **Comfort gift donation** provided by **Sara D.**
- Monetary donation made by **Garney Construction** in honor of an **employee's baby**
- Monetary donation in honor of **Emilia Clough's** 9th birthday by grandparents **Kent & Robin B.**

We extend our most sincere sympathy to those who have recently lost a child.

Please know that we are thinking of you and share in your hurt and sorrow

This April we Remember...

Baby Council - April 2003
Baby Peterson - April 2005
Baby Thurin #2 - April 2, 1985
Sylvie Heaton - April 2, 2024
Julianna - April 3, 2011
Bradley Jacob - April 5, 2003
Darcy Robert Guntert - April 6, 2018
Bryson James Stanfill - April 6-8, 2022
Morgan - April 8, 1997
Baby Belcher - April 12, 2001
Emma Grace - April 14, 2006
Theodore Aueson - April 14, 2026
Georgie Kennedy - April 18, 2025
Baby Sullivan - April 19, 2000
Zachary - April 19, 2000
Lydia Elaine Clay - April 19, 2024
Morgan - April 20, 1993
Baby Grauberger - April 22, 1990
Holli Ann - April 22, 2004
Baby Otte - April 22, 2023
Sean - April 24, 1993
Baby Kimbrough - April 26, 2000
Duncan Phillip McNaughton - April 26, 2017
Christian Lee - April 27, 2001

*To add your baby's name to our remembrance list, please email us at info@emilias-wings.org.
Please include your baby's name along with any significant dates you'd like us to honor.*



Treasures Whispered by the Sea

Every seashell once held life inside it. Though the life has gone, the shell remains, carrying the memory of what was. In the same way, our babies - though we cannot hold them in the physical world - leave lasting impressions on our hearts. A seashell can serve as a tangible connection, a quiet, sacred space to hold love and remembrance. Each time we see or touch a shell, it can remind us of the moments we cherish, the joy

and hope we felt, and the life that, though brief, mattered profoundly. The shell keeps memory alive in a gentle, enduring way.